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Applicant : Edward A. Rhad et al. Filed : 12/12/2001  
TC/A.U. : 3736 Examiner : J. Forman  
Docket No. : END-795 Customer No. : 000027777

Title : **AN MRI COMPTAIBLE BIOPSY DEVICE HAVING A  
TIP WHICH LEAVES AN ARTIFACT**

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NONCOMPLIANT AMENDMENT DATED 03/02/05**

Dear Sirs:

The Commissioner is requested to consider the revised status of claims enclosed herewith, in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment.

Please charge any fee necessary to preserve this application to Deposit Account 10-0750/GSG/END 795. Please call the undersigned at 513 337 3535 with any questions.

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